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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

McAfee

Application No.: 10/017,613

Filed: December 13, 2001

For: Surface Mount Captive Screw Ferrule
for PCB

Examiner: Saether, Flemming

Art Group: 3677

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Applicant submits this Preliminary Amendment for consideration.

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